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tain the general rule that all officers are to be obeyed in all things awful, but not otherwise, to report if they hear members ill-spoken of, and to keep the secrets of the organization. The candidate is then kissed the test and is designated a member. There is a national office in the United States with headquarters in New York. The national officers are selected by the State officers, who are selected by the county officers, who are chosen by the division officers, who in turn are elected by the members of their division. The chief of each officer is the body master. A chairman stated, however, that the practice was widely different in this country, laid down in the test, constitution and by-laws. Punishment is never inflicted for crimes committed by persons outside of the order. On the contrary, such conduct is highly esteemed, and if a member informs on another who has committed crime he is expelled. When a member has a grievance against an outsider, he lays his case before the head of his division, or lodge, who is called the body master, and is considered by his officer, together with the most trustworthy members of the lodge, and those officers. If the offender's death is determined on, the body master of a neighboring division is called on to furnish a man to do the work who is known to the intended victim; the understanding being that the conspirator will be executed when required.